(ख) से (घ) सूचना उत्तर प्रदेश सरकार से एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जायेगी।

Birth Centenary of Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar

1473. SHRI H. HANUMANTHAPPA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what is the stage of organising Birth Centenary of Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar

(b) whether any Committee at the national level, headed by the Prime Minister, has been constituted;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(d) if not, by when it is likely to be constituted?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L.P. SHAHI) (a) to (b) The birth centenary of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar falls on 14th April, 1991. Centenary Celebration programmes are normally drawn up one year in advance. The National Committee for the Birth Centenary Celebration of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar is likely to be constituted during the year 1989.

Completion of Chitradurga-Rayadurga rail line

1474. SHRI H. HANUMANTHAPPA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the present stage of Chitradurga-Rayadurga rail line which has been under construction;

(b) by when the work is likely to be completed;

(c) what was the original estimate; and

(d) what amount has been spent so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Earthwork and bridges are in progress on Chitradurga-Challakere Section. Most of the earthwork on Molakalmuru-Rayadurga Section has also been completed. Overall progress is 14%.

(b) Completion of work will depend upon the availability of resources in the coming years.

(c) Rs. 16.92 crores.

(d) Rs. 5.40 crores (approx.)

Konkan Railway Line

1475. SHRI H. HANUMANTHAPPA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 3985 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 31st August, 1988 and state;

(a) whether Government have since examined the detailed survey report for rail line from Mangalore to Roha under the Konkan Railway Project; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) and (b) The proposal for construction of a new B.G. Railway line from Mangalore to Roha, 837 km, estimated to cost Rs. 862 crores, was examined and sent to Planning Commission for consideration and clearance. The Commission has since approved Mangalore-Udipi (69km) section for construction and the same has been included in the Budget for 1989-90 at an anticipated cost of Rs 52 crores.